ST. CLAIRSVILLE, OHIO, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1893.

COMMISSIONERS.

Quarterly Meeting of the Custodians Of the County's Interests-The

last week transacted much business, as

Business Transacted.

Home, by N. B. Stewart, Superintendent, particulars equal many features of the fore if you have anything which is well made annual settlement with the Commissioners, and submitted their report as Balance September 7, 1892 \$ 116 08 taken idea to which they cling with great odd or wonderful in short if you posess

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mate was deemed reasonable and the space to be filled. amount was set apart for the Home.

The Board having received bids for insurance on Court-house and furniture port, where the national championship made the following award, same to be was decided, had one great surprise. It placed in companies satisfactory to the had been a foregone conclusion that Ho-Board, at 1 per cent.for 5 years; Cowen & bart or Hovey would lead, which of the Co, Bellaire, \$10,000; S. B. Piper, Barnes two being a doubted question, but ville, \$10,000; R. T. Howell, Bridgeport, Hobart was the favorite. Hovey defeat-87,500; R. H. Clayland, Bridgeport, 85,000; ed Hobart in a brilliantly played contest. McElfresh & Powers, St. Clairsville, Then Wrenn, who had not been regarded Henry Adams, St. Clairsville, 85,000; authorities, came to the scratch against I P. M. There were about 15 teachers girl's family, about the time the exposition \$5,000; J. W. Fowler, Bridgeport, \$5,000; as a formidable contestant by any of the Thomas Ford, Belmont, \$2,500; L. B. Hovey, and by fair and honest playing Smith, Barnesville, \$2,500.

according to the time specified in con- year to contest. tract, and asked the Commissioners to take steps to compel them to proceed. It fy Day & Dangherty that the time for the congress of religions now holding sescompletion of said contract has expired, and if the work is not taken up at once suit will be brought.

J. A. Henderson filed his official bond in the sum of \$20,000, conditioned according to law, and bond was accepted. The Auditor was authorized to adver-

transactions of the Board of Commissioners for the year ending September 2,

The Board visited the County Jail and reported the same as in good sanitary

The following claims for the killing of sheep by dogs were presented and allowed: A. A. Clark, Richland township. \$43 50 C. Troll's Sons Mrs. E. G. Troll L. B. Lee, Warren Robt. Cowen

o'clock Friday from the infirmities of seems to be that a short time ago there age. The deceased had a few weeks ago was such a slack demand for sugar that of Directors of said Society will be held the party managing the balloon, and age was 82. She was born in Germany, Jobbers ran out of sugar and were unable 1893. try, in 1860, settling in this vicinity, and also asserted that it is only a scheme of living here ever since. Her husband died the sugar trust to raise prices by creating twenty-four years ago. Out of a family a false scarcity. At any rate sugar is of six children, four are living.

The deceased was a woman of sterling character. She was kind, practical and efficient in all the relations of daily life. She was a member of the Presbyterian congregation here, and had been tutored in the Lutheran Church. She had the religious fervor and the strong faith which singularly mark the adherents to

The funeral was held Sunday from the Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Alexander officiating, and the interment being at the M. E. Cemetery.

William Waddell.

William Waddell, an old and esteeme citizen of this township died at his home near Lewis' Mills on Wednesday after noon last from a bilious disorder. He was one of the substantial farmers of this county and by industry and close attention had amassed a considerable fortune. A few years since be purchased property in this place and removed here within a short time he returned to the farm and made his home with his son He was about - years of age. His funat the Union Cemetery in this place.

Tax Duplicate.

The grand tax duplicate of personal property in the State upon which taxes and family leave this week for Carding for next year will be computed, was completed by the Auditor of State Saturday, hotel. This excellent family have lived The total is \$551,274,223 against \$552,501, here for a number of years and have 096 last year. The apparent decrease is formed many friends, all of whom regret accounted for, however, by the fact that their departure, but unite in wishing under the new Nichols law, telegraph, them success, and prosperity. Cardingtelephone and express property is taken ton is located near Delaware, O., and is a out of this class,

Teachers' Certificates For Two Years-W. G. Cash, A. H.

Neptune, Minnie Neff. For One Year-O. E. Kiger, J. G. Miller, W. E. Riggs, Bertha Dickson, Irene Fer- to see their many old friends. They rel, Theresa Lentz, Cora McReight, Cora formerly lived here, and are now living Molden, Edith Shields, Nannie Timber at Kansas City, of which place Mr. Aslake, Mary A. Workman, Leona Harris, kew is a wealthy and progressive citizen. progressive eucher for prizes. Mary McAllister-last two primary, Whole number examined 31.

Asa Hoge, of Shepherdstown, has our of peaches we have seen this year.

NOT EXACTLY NEWS. A Few General Remarks and Familia

One effect of the World's Fair, which is of undoubted though perhaps disagreeable good, is the contempt inspired for home exhibitions by comparisons with The Commissioners at their meeting the gorgeous things seen at Chicago. The exhibits shown in County and State fairs cannot, of course, bear the compar-World's Columbian Exposition.

Some self-deluded persons have a mis-Received from Auditor 2050 00 pertinacity, that the object of a newspalary interesting thing, bring it and show Miscellaneous receipts 403 14 per man's life is to "fill up" his paper, with any sort of matter, so it be matter. Kind reader, this is not the idea at all. Except receiving the subscription of a delinquent subscriber or booking a good water. Ample faciltities will be new subscriber, nothing delights the Balance September 8, 1893 864 21 heart of a newspaper man so much as to This Board also submitted estimate of find a good item. But, really, he does not the wants of the Home for the next quar- want anything just to "fill up." He ter, as follows: Food, etc, 8475, clothing could fill up with little trouble, and never \$210, wages \$735, repairs \$105, improve leave his desk. Often, of course, his on hand to contest for the liberal purses ments \$20, books, etc. \$50, furniture \$15, sheet is filled with things which you care offered the winners. transportation \$30, live stock \$60, other little for, but he doesn't want palpably expenses \$100-total \$1800. This esti- absurd stuff, just because he has a certain

The lawn tennis tournament at Newwon, using a cool generalship and at-Chalkley Dawson, engineer, reported tacking his opponent at his weakest that Day & Daugherty have refused or point. R. D. Wrenn is now the champineglected to proceed to complete sections on tennis player of America, taking the

There is no better evidence of the world was therefore ordered that Auditor notisions at the Art Palace in Jackson Park, to do good work. All the great religions of the world both inside and outside of Christendom, are represented and their doctrines to be exploited. The object of the Parliament is to bring together the world's religious Reading Course of the Ohio Teachers' ideas, to find the common aims and com- Reading Circle, and to read and discuss The Auditor was authorized to advertise for proposals to furnish the county many grounds of union and to review the marvelous religious progress of the center of the cent tury. The highest minds of the adhepare and file with the Clerk of the Courts rents of the various systems will sit toa detailed statement of the financial gether and explain to each other seriously and thoughtfully the tenets held by each, Christians of all sects, representatives of Buddhism, Brahminism, Mohamedanism, Judaism, Zoroastrianism, Theosoply and Confucianism will sit side by side and clasp hands in friendship and Rosh Hasbona, or "head of the year," good will, satisfied that they are all aiming at the same object, namely the up-

lifting of the human race.

People in this place, and the complaint is general, are experiencing a sugar famine. For some days back it has been difficult to procure any sugar except some Mrs. Christina A Troll died at three of the cheaper grades. The trouble moved to the home of her daughter, Mrs. many refineries shut down, and on that at the Clerk's office on the Fair grounds many thought the plan was prearranged, William Clark, south of town. She had account the stock of sugar was low when at St. Clairsville, from 11 A. M. to 2 o'clock but whether true or not, the event was been sick for a number of months. Her the fruit season suddenly struck us. P. M., on Wednesday, September 27th, sufficiently exciting to the crowd. and came with her busband to this coun- to obtain supplies without delays. It is

Chairman Archer has selected the fol lowing gentlemen as members of the Republican County Executive Committee: J. W. Nichols, I. H. Gaston, C. C. Carroll, W. S. Cowen, Richland township; Samuel B. Piper, J. L. Heed, Warren; Madison Aldredge, G. G.Sedgwick, Martin's Ferry: J. E. Trueman, Charles Junkins, Bridgeport; John Davis, D. T. Cowen, W. C. Cochran, J.E.Blackburn, John Huffman, Bellaire; J. W. Hollingsworth, Flushing; J. N. Fish. York. All are enthusiastic party workers, and will look after the

Married Again.

scrutiny.

affairs of the campaign with careful

Mrs. Mary Rhodes, divorced wife of Charles B. Rhodes, formerly of Bridgeport, has recently married James Patterterson, a reputed wealthy wool buyer of Boston. According to the conditions of ding to spend the remainder of his the divorce Charles Rhodes was to have days in retirement, but his wife dying \$5000 alimony and the privilege of seeing Patterson wishes to take the children East with her, and her former husband eral took place on Friday. Interment threatens to commence injunction proceedings to restrain her.

Ex-county treasurer, George Robinso thriving town in the midst of a rich farming land.

Rormer Citizana

Mr. and Mrs. William Askew came last week for a visit to the old town, and They are now stopping at the Clarendon

An amateur who rode a wheel out from thanks for some of the finest specimens in a buggy, being completely fagged out Rio" or "Mocha Java." by attempting to keep up with old hands. 9-14 2t

THE FAIR.

It Will Have Many Interesting Features This Year and Ought To Be Well Attended.

Now, everybody get ready to attend the Fair at St Clairsville, Tuesday, Wednes- the following offer: Henry M. Davies, Clerk of the Courts, ison, and to World's Fair visitors the day and Thursday, September 26th, 27th reported fees and and costs collected, best of these smaller shows must seem and 28th. Remember the dates. And 8789.49; M. M. Scott, Sheriff, fees and meager and barren. Of course that's a not only attend, but bring something to costs, \$1872.08; J. W. Hollingsworth, a broadening of mind, and with the show. A World's Fair is designed to Prosecuting Attorney, fines and costs, broadening process comes a desire for show what the world is doing and has \$2655,32: J. F. Tallman, Probate Judge, emulation, and before another World's done. A county fair is for the purpose Fair time comes, we may confidently ex- of showing what a county can do and The Board of Trustees of the Children's pect that the small fairs will in many has done in every line of work. Theremade, or if you have any product of the soil that is of unusual excellence, or any fine article for sale, or anything unique, it to your neighbors at the Fair.

The grounds are in fine condition. The shade is pleasant and ample, the grass soft and thick and there is abundance of provided for exhibiting all products sent pro rata for every subscription

This promises to be good year for grounds already, and many more will be ple copies and go to work. horses. Many are in training at the

The management has put the society press dispatch from Chicago: The sensain reliable financial shape, and the tion of the Midway is a love affair of premiums offered will be paid. A num- the most interesting character between per of novel features will enhance the Abdul Lateef, a swarthy, dark eyed subenjoyment of this year's Fair, and the occasion ought to be representative of mond, a bloude-haired young woman of the county's resources, and well attended. Bellaire, O., who came here with her pa-

The first meeting of the Richland Township Teachers' Association was authority in the street of Constantinople held at the "Dutch" School House on Saturday, September 9th. The meeting can inamorata would be married in spite was called to order by Supt. Porterfield at of the fierce opposition on the part of the

was first taken up and discussed by most of the members. The Course of Study was fully explained and methods sug-5 and 6, Bellaire and Jacobsburgh Pike place of O. S. Campbell, who failed this gested by which the pupil and course Next, an able paper was read by Miss Maggie Fulton on "Rewards." There

> in this which would inspire any teacher "What Can We Do To Improve Ou Association," was discussed by G. W.

were several valuable suggestions given

Pearson and E. E. Lucas. The Association decided to adopt the

Jewish New Year The Jewish New Year began Sunday evening at sundown and will continue for ten days, or until sundown on September 20. It is the beginning of the year 5654 according to the Hebrew calendar. The observance began upon the and will end with Yom Kippur, or "day of atonement." The observance of this New Year period of the days is a most important event each year in the Jewish church, and for ages has been religiously kept by all good Hebrews.

cultural Society are hereby notified that not detached. The man who thus made an an election of five members of the Board unexpected ascension was connected with THEO. AYERS.

taking in of Charles Steger, the firm now stand. They are efficient and accommo-

lines. Give them a share of patronage. A NEW feature at the Wheeling Fair this year, and one of great interest and profit to observers was the collection of southern products and curiosities. Cotton was shown in all-its stages, from the seed to the puffy bolls on the stalk. Many relics were shown, fruit and carved woods, and the process of extracting tar from wood and distilling turpentine

You will find the latest styles Men's Suitings, at reasonable rates, at L. P. Hoffner's. Rooms over Alexander's

ISAIAH ALLEN was arrested and rought before Mayor Kennon Monday morning for using loud and boisterous language and disturbing a festival at the A. M. E. church Saturday night. He his children as often as he desired. Mrs. entered a plea of guilty and was assessed something over \$12 in fines and costs. His employer, David Darrah, went his security and he was released.

Fine Coffees - We are selling agents for Chase & Sanborn, the famous Boston Roasters. These coffees are not to be ex-GEO. JEPSON. 19-14 2t

ous and unheard-of shapes. Whether they are a new creation of nature made built. expressly for the lights, or whether the light has merely brought them to view is question for entomologists.

FASHIONABLE styles and a perfect fit guaranteed at Hoffner's, the Tailor. Rooms over Alexander's drug store, 2t

A JUDGE at Danville, Ky,, charged a grand jury that they should indict any man or woman whom they find playing

Chase & Sanborn's Coffees are kent in airtight tin cans and are always fresh

To the World's Fair.

THE CHRONICLE wishes all its Newsy Items Gathered from Town readers to attend the great World's Fair at Chicago. It also wishes to increase its subscription list. To Belmont County Agricultural Society's accomplish these two ends it makes League at once.

It will give a first-class ticket to Cleveland wheel. Chicago and return to every person getting thirty (30) new subscribers at the regular price of \$1.50 per year (the New York Weekly electric car at Wheeling, Thursday. Tribune is given to every subscriber to THE CHRONICLE, who so desires) and sending us the cash with the order. Tickets will be good by any direct route.

Here is a chance to visit the Pair by a few days' work. If you are prevented from getting the required number (30) vou will be paid

Write THE CHRONICLE for sam-

Will Marry a Turk. This interesting romance comes as ject of the Sultan, and Miss Jennie Hamrents to visit the Fair about three weeks ago. It was stated yesterday by those in that Abdul Lateef and his fair Ameribe carried out as planned the ceremony will take place in this city in the latter part of October, and will be in strict accordance with the Mohammedan custom on such occasions. It is not known, however, whether Miss Hammond proposes to renounce her Christian belief and espouse the faith of her dusky lover before becoming his bride. The intimate friends of Abdul in the Midway village declare it is not imperative that she give up her

Christianity unless such a demand should be made by the bridegroom. And they pretend not to know what the latter will the degrees on Dr. H. Webb. say on this point when it comes to the Up With a Balloon At the Wheeling Fair on Friday afternoon, a performance not on the bills was enacted which was thrilling enough for any one. A balloon ascension and para. is the only dealer in the county. chute jump was to take place, and as the balloon rose from the ground with the aeronaut in his proper place the spectators were horrified to see a man hanging head downward with his leg entangled in the rope which connected the parachute with the balloon. The crowd instantly jumped en, misses, and children. to the conclusion that he had been caught in the ropes by accident, and all held their breath expecting to see him fall and be dashed to pieces. The man succeeded in righting himself and clung fast to the ropes. Owing to the weight of the two men the balloon did not rise very high, and came down at West Wheeling, land-Members of the Belmont County Agri- ing both men safely. The parachute was

Public Sale.

For the purpose of making a change in my business, I will sell at public sale at By the withdrawal of Benj. S. McBride my residence, 314 miles southwest of St. from the firm of McBride Bros. and the Clairsville, Ohio, 11/2 miles south of Vine yard Hill school-house, on Wednesday, becomes McBride & Steger. These gen | September 20, 1893, at 10 o'clock A. M., the set of farming implements, consisting of dating gentlemen, up to the times in all one twine binder, two mowing machines, one steel loon harrow, one steel harrow, one steel spring-toothed harrow, three plows, four shovel plows, wagons, sleds, seven sets of harness, buggies, carts, one No. 1 surrey, and a great number of other farm implements too numerous to mention. Twenty acres of corn in the field. 25 tons of hay, 15 tons of straw, 3 acres of potatoes, 12 head of heavy and light work horses, 7 head of highbred colts and fillies, 2 head of young cattle, 2 milk cows, 50 head of sheep, 20 head of hogs, etc., etc. Sale to be continued till all the property is disposed of. Terms made known on day of sale. J. C. KINTNER. I. N. CLARK, Auctioneer. 9-7 2t

Hall Dedicated. Saturday afternoon the new hall of the miners' union at West Bridgeport, built by the miners of the Wheeling Creek coal works, was dedicated with impressive cermonies. There was a parade at 2 P. M., headed by Meister's band and an escort of police, and made up of G. A. R. veterans, American Mechanics, and other orders. A meeting was then held Hon. J. C. Heinlein, presiding. President Mc-Bride, of the miners' national union was the chief speaker. State Labor Commissioner Lewis, J. P. Jones, mine inspector, THE electric lights seem to have drawn J. H. Burtt, of Wheeling, Rev. C. B. Hen a new fall supply of insects. They seem thorne and others also spoke, after which of endless variety and of the most curi- Mr. McBride formally declared the hall dedicated to the uses for which it was

In the evening a concert and entertain ment was given in the hall, by the band and local talent. The exercises were successful and pleasing throughout.

A Whisky Bill. A saloon keeper has just secured judg nent in 'Squire Mason's court for a whisky bill of long standing. The case was heard three times before a decision was reached. Twice before a jury, which no office of the American Express Com disagreed each time. The law providing ny at this place. The United States for the collection of a whisky bill has Company has taken the C., L. and W. as been on the statute book for about four one of its lines. This is to be regretted Wheeling, Sunday, had to be taken home and of superior quality. Try "Prime years, yet this is the first case that has as depriving us of part of our facilities

INTERESTING SHORT BITS.

and Country-Pithy Paragraphs Gleaned from All Sources.

LET us have a club of the Republican JOHN CROSSLAND has a bran new

GOVERNOR MCKINLEY will speak at Caldwell September 23, A 3-YEAR-OLD child was killed by an

OUT of 381 voters in 1842 in a township in Guernsey county, only six survive. THE next Teachers' Examination will

New Property in the East End for sale at a bargain. 8-24-4 JAS. A. LEWIS In event of a war in Europe, twentytwo million soldiers can be put in the

be held at Belmont, Saturday, the 23rd.

A BASEBALL club with Martin Cown as manager has been organized at Bellaire.

A goop fresh Cow for sale, THE Sixtieth O. V. I. will hold it annu

al reunion at Barnesville, October 4th THE Jewish New Year's Day wa Monday, and was celebrated generally by

Hebrews. Carpet Weaving -Give me a trial.

Jos. Banfield, St. Clairsville, O. THE Smyrna Fair, which is always a good one and well attended, is in progress

THE Quaker City Window Glass Company has been incorporated with a capital of \$25,000.

A LARGELY attended and successfu festival was held at the A. M. E. church Saturday night.

SQUIRRELS are reported as plentiful in djoining counties, but local hunters cannot find many hereabouts. UNDER the Nichols tax law, the West

ern Union Telegraph Company's taxes in Ohio are increased \$22,000. HOPE COMMANDERY K. T., held to meeting Thursday night, and conferred

If all the country did as well for the Fair. World's Fair as this vicinity, the show would be a financial success.

ONE cigar dealer at Martin's Ferry has

crops, the fields about town are being well searched for the aromatic elderberry. No old stock to sell, just got them in, all kinds of Rubber Goods for men, wom-

F. TROLL & SONS. 8-31 3t MADAME ROLLA, the Wheeling prima ionna, took part in a concert at the World's Fair last week, and won high praise from the critics.

THE value of live stock in the Western States is estimated \$1,695,000,000, and the annual product exceeds in value that of the gold and silver mines.

There is a great crop of wild cherries this year, and they are of unusual size. The birds however are about the only ited by a newly-wedded pair from Wheelconsumers of this well-flavored fruit.

ship, on the B. & O. Railroad, suitable for a creamery. Will sell at a great bargain "Use them easy." "Both are young and WM. A. McMechan, St. Clairsville, O. LAST week Western Taylor was ap-

42-acre Farm situated in Smith town-

pointed postmaster at Pilcher, vice Felix tlemen will continue business at the old following named property: A complete Beatty, removed; and Amanda H. Skinner, at Somerton, vice T. T. McCullough, A CURIOUS effect of the dry weather is

the spotting of unpainted brick buildings. A sort of silicate seems to form on the bricks wherever exposed to the sun's rays, and though not perhaps damaged it is distiguring. Best Goods On Earth.

Nox-Em-All, in Spanish calf and grain for ladies, misses and children. Brewster's Solid Boots-there are none better just now. F. TROLL & SONS.

A MOVEMENT for the relief of the famly of Officer Murphy has been started at Martin's Ferry. A wife and live chil- hear the report and find that he had shot dren, and also an aged mother are left his wife, the ball entering her cheek. without means of suport, and the case is taking a downward course and lodging

THE enumeration of school youth from the townships in the county shows that there are 4852 males and 4515 females- been placed under the corner stone of the total, 9367. The special districts have old Court-house at Cadiz, raised great Lochary property in the West end. 4468 males and 4361 females, a total of expectations in mouths of some of the 9819. Total number of school age in the people in that place, and the tearing

A wagon loaded with hay, and driven by James Wilson, of near Bellaire, was struck by the eastbound fast line at Franklin, on Friday evening. Wilson escaped with a few bruises. The hay was piled on the engine and it took some

For Cash Only. Ex. super Wool Carpets for 50c, that were 65c; ex. super do 55c,that were 70c. Tapestry Brussells Carpets for 50c, that were 65@75c; Brussells 75c that were 90c. Body Brussells Carpet 90@\$1 that were \$1@1.25, F. TROLL & SONS. [8-31 3t

AFTER Friday, the 15th, there will be been tried under the law in this city. | for sending and receiving express matPERSONAL MENTION.

Pertinent Points About People Who Con -A. L. Perkins, of Alledonia, was town last week.

-Miss Mary Mitchell went last week to Pittsburg to enter school for the year.

of their aunt, Mrs. Tallman. ed Monday for visit to the World's Fair. cause of the trouble kept well inside the -A. T. Stilwell went last week to

Chicago and the Fair. at Detroit last week.

Gaston, Jesse W. Hollingsworth and gers expected nothing less than the rob-Benny McBride went Tuesday to Chicago bery of all their valuables, and considered -Miss Anna Steenrod and Miss Ress

-Dr. Webb, of the M. E. church, is in train which they knew to be following tendance at the East Ohio Conference at East Liverpool this week.

-J. A. Neff is in the West this week bers, and no one knew whether he had on a business trip and will visit the Fair. got safely back or not. -Charles D. Darrah went Tuesday to Washington, Pa., where he will enter

Washington and Jefferson College. -Miss Gertrude Darrah and Miss Lucy Chambersburg, Pa. -George Nichols, the photographer, is

-J. B. McMechan is suffering from a evere attack of typhoid fever.

-E. N. Hall, E. L. Haymond, F. M. Ferguson and H. C. Haymond, Wheeling wheelmen, rode out Sunday and took inner at the Clarendon. -Charlie Clark, who has been lately

working at Brooklyn, N. Y., is at home with his parents at the Clarendon. -Miss Emma Troll returned to Canto Sunday to resume her duties, after a va cation spent here and at Chicago.

-Mr. and Mrs Robert Thompson,

of Mr. Morrison last week. -Mr. and Mrs Eliot, of Baitsville, are

visiting Mrs. Joel Eliot at this place. -Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Boroff started Wednesday for a ten days' visit to the -Alex. Barrett returned Monday from

for the past month for the benefit of his health. He is much improved. Chicago this week on business and seeing

-Mrs. Louisa Thompson and Mrs Geo V. Brown went this week to Iowa City, la, for a visit. -Mrs, J. F. Tallman and daughter

Miss Adda, will return home to-day

(Thursday) from Canton, Ill., where Miss Adda has been for the past two years. -E. E. Workman of Beallsville wa in town on business Tuesday. -Hon, L. Danford and C. L. Weems, Esq., were at Zanesville, Monday.

Their Woes. An exchange tells the following good story of the woes of a young married

An amusing incident hannened at the depot at a summer resort which was vising a few weeks ago, A large trunk came in literally covered with great black labels reading something like this: "This belongs to a bridal couple." "It is their first experience." "A bran new pair." bashful," etc. These labels were placed on the trunk unbeknown to the parties when the couple left the depot at Wheeling. When the trunk was removed from the station at the resort to the hotel it was followed by some fifty boys. It is reported that the couple uttered sulphurous words when they discovered their predicament. It was rude

At East Liverpool, Lee Stafford se cured the loan of a revolver with which of the present building. to kill rats. After discharging it a number of times he placed it on the mantel, at his forehead, telling his wife he intend- is now unusually complete, and presents ed to commit suicide. She in an equally humorous vein, told him to kill her Pointing the revolver at her head he pulled the trigger and was horrified to one which demands sympathy and finan- under the left ear. The wound is seri- God pity the poor! Exc. Yes with free

A tradition that a jug of whisky had down of the old building was eagerly watched. But when the corner-stone was reached there was no jug, nor was there anything else there. The story was nothing but tradition, and there was nothing but disappointment. The building was erected in 1816, and it would have been pretty old whisky.

Thursday afternoon Hiawatha Council No. 308, Jr. O. U. A. M., will present a flag to district school No. 14, west of opening at Akron, Tuesday. Martin's Ferry. The council will go out in a body, and will be accompanied by Mechanics from other councils, both Juniors and Seniors. Hon. C. L. Weems will make the presentation speech and a first class supper will be served.

CALL on L. P. Hoffner for your new Fall Suits. Rooms over Alexander's

FRANKLIN COLLEGE has already en rolled about 30 students from this county. to establish a reading room.

ON THE TRAIN

That Was He'd Up By Bandits on the Lake Shore Tuesday Morning. Other Items.

Miss May Harris, of this place, was or -Miss Mable Scott, of Bridgeport, and the Lake Shore train which was held up Miss Bess Jepson, of Wheeling, were and robbed at Kessler, Indiana, Tuesday guests of Mrs. H. C. Welday last week. morning. Miss Harris was on a sleepe -James and Will McConnaughey and was awakened by the stopping of the young men of Washington. Pa,, rode over train. Immediately after there were re on their wheels Friday, and were guests ports of exploding cartridges and torpe does. The train was delayed for about -Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burtoft start- an hour, and the passengers learning the cars. A great number crowded into the baggage car, but were careful to keep in Miss Marah Turnbull, who has been side, as an occasional shot from a Win for some time the guest of the family of chester came whizzing their way. There John Henderson, returned to her home were many women passengers aboard and they were, of course, badly fright--Mrs. White, Miss Annie White, I. H. ened, one woman fainting. The passen themselves extremely lucky, when the robbers having looted the safe and se Hewetson started Tuesday by the B. and cured some one to two hundred thousand dollars fired a number of shots into the -S. T. Glass and son, of Mt. Pleasant, air, and disappeared in a grove adjoining were in town on business one day last the track. The chief terror of the crew

MISS ELIZA TROLL will be married to Emmet A. Sidebottom, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. came to the rescue of the bank. Alexander go next Monday to school at Troll, at East Richland, at noon to day (Thursday). The groom is a son of ex-Infirmary Superintendent Sidebottom. The young couple have the congratula

would crash into them. A flagman was

sent back, but he was fired on by the rob-

tions of their many friends. A BASEBALL nine from Shepherdstown played a picked-up nine from this place Saturday at the Fair grounds. At the end of the sixth inning the score was 26 to 3 in favor of the visitors. They insisted on stopping, because they wanted to get home and the umpire declared the game in favor of St. Clairsville.

THE County Commissioners have borrowed \$10,000 from the Flushing Bank. and the money was brought to the Treas Pittsburg, and Mrs. Agnes McGeorge, of ury last week. This fact should allay Cleveland were the guests of the family the apprehension which has been express ed in some quarters as to the soundness of the Flushing institution.

THE nervous nature of the wool market is shown by the fact that Thornbury & Booth, the Bellaire dealers, had orders last week to purchase good clips at 20 Cambridgeboro, Pa., where he has been cents, but on Monday received instructions to reduce the amount to be bought just one-half.

Notice To Exhibitors.

Exhibitors will take note that the entry books for the St. Clairsville Fair will be closed at 10 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, September 26th, the first day of the Fair. 9-14 2t THEO. C. AYERS, Sec'y.

COUNCIL met in special session Monday night, and passed two ordinances relating to the sidewalk grading. This grade as established by the first surveys was in many places unsatisfactory, and was accordingly changed to a more uni-

CLOVER is generally reported good especially the large variety; potatoes are a small yield as a rule; grapes are plentiful; peaches are generally small and ripening prematurely; the quince crop is fair; corn is being cut and is poor on

A STRANGE and fatal malauy is said to be affecting hogs in some counties of the State. The hogs are attacked suddenly with a sort of madness, wheel about in a circle, jump several feet from the ground and cut other antics. In three hours they die.

it is the best : 2d, it is always fresh : 3d, it is very much cheaper. Ask us about it. GEO, JEPSON. THE new house being built for Albert Lawrence, Esq., is nearing completion and is a fine modern looking structure.

ONE, Two, THREE good reasons why

you should buy Rolled Oats in bulk: 1st,

THE Methodist Sunday school has exthinking all its chambers empty. At tended its library by the recent purchase night on retiring, he playfully pointed it of about 150 new volumes. The libary

> McClelland, the champion long distance runner of the world, who lives at Wheeling is at home and wanting a race

WITH free trade and on a gold basis:

a fine appearance.

trade on any sort of a basis: God pity the FRANK WILLIAMS and wife have gone te housekeeping in the east half of the

ANOTHER car-load of high grade Fertilizer ordered at McBride & Steger's. Will be in soon. 9-14-2t THE Bellaire steel works which started

down Saturday for lack of orders. SEVERAL persons were down from here Monday night to hear Salvini at the

Wheeling Opera House. L. C. SEDGWICK, of the Martin's Ferry Times, attended the great campaign

SUPERINTENDENT JONES began his twelfth year at the head of the Bellaire Schools this week.

THAT which the stork left at the White House Saturday will be called Margaret THE Belmont Courty Medical Society

met at Bellaire, Tuesday afternoon.

BELLAIRE people are taking measures

GENERAL NEWS NOTES. ems of Interest Gathered From Various

J. W. B. Adams, of Massachusetts, vas elected Commander-in-Chief of the i. A. R. The next Encampment will e held at Pittsburgh.

The Democrats are moving to repeal he Federal election laws, on the ground hat such laws are unfriendly to fraud. Three Kansas judges were sent to jail or contempt of the U. S. Circuit Court

in refusing to order a tax levy. Strong protection arguments are being ade before the Ways and Means Com-

Sells Bros. Circus was wrecked in Calfornia and a number of persons killed. Workingmen in many different ranches of industry are protesting gainst any change in the tariff. At Wooster an old man, 80 years of

age, held three robbers at bay and saved The report of the appraisers of the roperty of Hon. Charles Foster shows ssets worth \$314,000 and liabilities of

A few boomers are getting ready to nter the Cherokee strip in balloons. Two Panhandle trains collided near Chicago on Thursday and thirteen persons were killed. and passengers seemed to be that the fast

only \$75,000.

The mills in many places are starting up but mostly at reduced wages in view Hamilton Fish, Secretary of State under Grant, died at his home at Garri-

son, N. Y. At Delta, Colorado, three robbers killed the cashier of a bank and two of them were killed by a merchant who

The Chinese want another opportunity comply with the Geary law. Another revolution in Brazil arrived n schedule time Thoughtless hunters fired into a party of ball players at Dalton, O., and the

hot took effect in nine persons.

Ground was broken Thursday for the ew Asylum at Massillon The Senate is still talking on the silver uestion and there is no vote in sight. Robert McEvery, a Chicago bank elerk, embezzled \$25,000 and skipped.

from lockjaw, caused by stepping on a rusty nail. The office of the Adams Express Company at Akron was robbed of \$7,000 and three men of the town are under arrest charged with the crime.

Myrtie Esterly died at Columbiana

France and Siam seem likely to have little brush yet since the latter is inlisposed to carry out her agreement. The Home Rule bill was defeated by the House of Lords by a vote of 319 to 41. As reported to the Auditor of State, the total value of all personal property

in the State is \$551,274,233. A girl was born into the family of resident Cleveland on Saturday. The condition of corn in Ohio is only 64 per cent. of the average.

express office in Akron was found buried in a potato field. A number of foreign importers have appeared before the Ways and Means Committee to ask for the removal of the tariff on their goods.

The money stolen from the Adams

A bill has been introduced to extend the time allowed for Chinese registration. Cholera in Constantinople is spreading. A diamond valued at \$1,250,000 was ecently found in the African field. There is talk of making the Sunday

dmission at the World's Fair 25 cents

Senator Allison is of the opinion that

radical tariff reduction bill cannot pass Bismarck is reported as very sick. The discharge of a number of workmen at Chartiers. Pa., caused a general

tion from the port of New York exceeded immigration An army of 20,000 is in line before the Cherokee Strip, and the task of registering them began Monday.

For the first time in history emigra-

The yacht Vigilant will make the race as defender of America's cup. Again the war cloud looms up in Europe; this time Germany has made trouble between France and England. The Democratic treasurer of Defiance

county, G. W. Rutledge, was found to

be-short \$23,699. A mammoth gathering of business en are assembled this week at Wash-Mr. Lawrence has plans for another ington. Silver day was a sort of frost at the

> the Ways and Means Committee Monday for no change of schedule. A parson insulted Mr. Gladstone in a The yacht Valkyrie is overdue and it

is feared she has sunk.

Iron and steel makers pleaded with

Bandits held up a Lake Shore train at Kessler, Ind., Tuesday morning and robbed the express car of from \$100,000 to \$300,000, shooting the engineer. The campaign was opened by the Republicans at Akron by a monster demonstration and a speech by Mc-

Since the rejection by the House of Lords of the Home Rule Bill, the liberals have declared that the Upper House The great diamond recently found in the African fields is several times larger

than any other stone known, and is valued at \$1,250,000. Wool raisers were before the Ways so bravely some two weeks ago closed and Means Committee Tuesday and protested against any change in the

Williams College, Massachusetts, will celebrate its centennial on October 8. A freight collision on the Nickel Plate at Findlay killed the engineer and fire-

The Amalgamated Association has voted to accept a further reduction in wages of 10 per cent. In a play at Pittsburgh, in which there is a mock sword thrust, an actor caught the sword in his eye and will lose that

man of one of the trains.

There is said to be an estrangement between President Cleveland and Vice President Stevenson. The iron and steel and wool men are

having hearings before the Ways and Means Committee this week. ADDITIONAL local on 2d and 4th pages